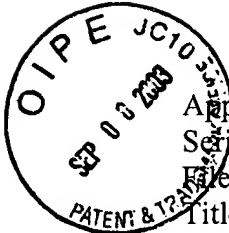


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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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Dear Examiner Tran:

This is in response to the Office Action dated August 18, 2003. A restriction requirement has been imposed on this case.

**Election**

Applicant hereby elects Group I in the present application with claims 1, and 3-7, drawn to the structure of a dielectric barrier discharge-driven light source, classified in class 313, subclass 607 without traverse.

The following claims, as they are directed to the other group, are cancelled from the application:

Claims 9-16

**Conclusion**

Applicant has now fully responded to the restriction requirement by electing Group I and canceling the other non-elected claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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